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Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration

SPECIAL PERMIT AUTHORIZATION

DOT-SP 11970

EXPIRATION DATE: April 30, 2011

GRANTEE: Albemarle Corporation

Baton Rouge, LA

In response to your May 17, 2007 application for renewal of DOT-SP 11970, the grantee status to DOT-SP 11970 for Albemarle Corporation is hereby renewed in accordance with 49 CFR \$ 107.109.

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If you have questions regarding this action please call the Office of Hazardous Materials Special Permits and Approvals at (202)366-4535.

Issued in Washington D.C. on May 18, 2007.

for Bob Richard

Diane Lavalle

Deputy Associate Administrator

for Hazardous Materials Safety